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THE Monday Night Literary Club met last night with Mrs. Jacob K. Spears, on Seventh street.

SIDNEY D. CLAY, Chas. Hill and Ed. Gorey, of this city, will start in February for the Klondike gold fields.

MR. E. F. NELSON, of the Stony Point neighborhood, had his leg broken Saturday by a horse which he was riding, falling on him.

SEVERAL \$200 bets on the county judge race were made Saturday, and a number of smaller wagers on other races have been posted.

BOB McMAHAN was discharged without trial at Lexington last week, having established his innocence of the charge of horse-stealing.

FOR RENT.—Desirable brick cottage, five rooms, good cellar and other improvements—on South Main street. For particulars apply to J. T. HINTON.

IN consequence of the continuous rain yesterday there was a small crowd of court day visitors in Paris. There was no stock on the market. Politics was the principal theme of the day.

CAPT J. H. MYERS, of Fleming, formerly an L. & N., conductor met with a very painful accident last Wednesday by his horse jumping with him, fracturing the ligaments of Capt. Myers' thigh and abdomen.

ASA STONE, who has been confined in the Paris jail for an assault on Ben Young at Carlisle three weeks ago, has been taken back to Carlisle and was admitted to bail in \$2,500—with Sam'l Rogers and George Bramlette sureties.

A SCARF PIN and a pair of cuff buttons belonging to Joe Young were taken Friday from his room at Joe Asbury's boarding house at the Central Hotel building. Young thinks that they were taken by an actor who was in the room during the day.

J. J. BAKER, C. V. Higgins, Geo. Prather and John Bealert, of Paris precinct, raised small crops of coffee this year. The former has raised several crops of coffee and the others tried it as an experiment. The coffee raised was pronounced equal that bought at groceries.

THE drouth has been broken in earnest by a gentle rain which fell continuously Sunday night and most of yesterday. Dispatches from Paducah, Russellville, Lexington, Maysville, Frankfort, Lancaster, Beattyville, and Horse Cave indicated that the rain was general throughout Kentucky.

THE auction sale of Mr. Robert Burns Wilson's fine water color paintings at Odd Fellows Hall Friday and Saturday evening was well attended by art-loving citizens, and a number of the exquisite paintings were purchased by Parisians. The pictures were greatly admired by all.

Mastodon Teeth Found.

LAST week while workmen were excavating around the famous spring at Blue Licks a buffalo skull and several mastodon teeth were unearthed. A tooth and jawbone connected weighed twenty-five pounds and a single tooth weighed nine and one-quarter pounds.

Bourbon Land Sold.

JOSEPH BOOTH, of near Sharpsburg, has purchased from Wm. Tarr 225 acres of land on the Jackstown turnpike at \$67.50 per acre, and sixteen acres of the T. J. Redmon tract at \$100 per acre. Mr. Booth will build a residence on the land in the Spring.

Revival at Christian Church.

ELD. E. L. POWELL, pastor of the First Christian Church, at Fourth and Walnut, in Louisville, will begin a protracted meeting in this city on November 8th. The meeting will probably continue several weeks. Elder Powell is one of Louisville's leading ministers and is an eloquent pulpit orator.

Thirty Acres of Grass Burned.

SATURDAY afternoon a fire, probably started accidentally by a careless hunter, burned twenty-five acres of grass for Mr. Catesby Woodford and five acres on Mr. James Miller's farm. The fire also burned three hundred pounds of fence and threatened to destroy Mr. Miller's barns. It was finally stopped by plowing the ground around the burned district.

Dedication Of The New Methodist Church.

In the presence of more than one thousand persons, the handsome new Methodist church was dedicated Sunday to the worship of God.

The sermon in the morning was preached by Rev. G. C. Kelly, D. D., of Birmingham, Ala., and Rev. E. G. B. Mann, the pastor, and Prof. C. C. Fisher, of Millersburg, and Rev. John Reeves, of Winchester, assisted in the services.

The choir was augmented by singers from the various churches and rendered some fine music. Mrs. Chas. Mehagen sang a beautiful solo, and Prof. A. M. Gutzeit presided at the organ in his usual masterly manner.

Rev. J. C. Morris, D. D., of Nashville, preached at night, and Rev. W. M. Britt, of Millersburg, assisted in the service. Mrs. Frank Fithian sang a solo in admirable style. After the sermon, Dr. Wash Fithian, on behalf of the trustees, tendered the church to Rev. Kelly, who dedicated it with simple and impressive ceremonies.

The church cost \$15,000, and \$11,000 of the sum had been raised up to Sunday. At the morning service the sum of \$1,100 was raised, and at night the collection amounted to \$1,000. Leading members pledged themselves to see that the balance was paid, and the church was dedicated free of debt.

The new church is indeed a beautiful structure and the Methodist congregation and the pastor, Rev. E. G. B. Mann, under whose administration it was built, are justly proud of it, as are all other citizens of Paris. Built of Kentucky freestone it presents an imposing appearance and is a model of architectural beauty and modern convenience. The building, which was so well built by Fletcher & Co., of Cincinnati, has a seating capacity of about one thousand persons, including the two audience rooms—which may be separated by a lifting door—and several class rooms, which may also be made a part of the main auditorium by means of the lifting doors. The large audience room thus made is circular in shape and the pulpit in the center and the perfect acoustics permit the ordinary tones of the minister to be easily heard in every part of the house.

In the building are a number of exquisitely beautiful art-glass memorial windows, given as follows: The large window on the Pleasant street side was given by Col. J. G. Craddock in memory of his father, mother and sister. The window back of the choir loft was given in memory of E. R. Fithian by his relatives. The large window on the Seventh street side is in memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, and was given by Mr. and Mrs. E. B. January. The window over the transept on the Seventh street entrance was given by Mrs. Eliza Taylor in memory of her husband, Squire Taylor. The window in the Epworth-league room was given by the Sunday School to the memory of Mrs. Allen Bashford, and a window in the pastor's study was paid for by subscription secured by Rev. E. G. B. Mann in compliment to Mrs. Emaline B. Flanagan. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mehagen gave a window in the infant class room in the memory of George Catlett Lockhart Mehagen.

Besides the splendid auditorium the building has several class rooms, a pastor's study, a committee room, a kitchen, two toilet rooms, and is handsomely furnished throughout. The edifice is lighted by gas and electric light, is fitted with water fixtures, and heated by two furnaces.

The audiences were received Sunday at the several entrances by the church officers, Dr. Wash Fithian, H. A. Power, James McClure, Chas. Mehagen, Fletcher Mann and J. Frank Prather, and were seated by the ushers, Chas. N. Fithian, J. H. Fuhrman, Chas. R. Wilmoth, J. Frank Prather, Allie D. Mann and Henry Lilleston.

Among the strangers in attendance were Mrs. W. H. Wadsworth, Mrs. J. W. Boulden, Mrs. Geisel and Miss Power, of Maysville; Dr. M. Dills and wife, W. J. Kennedy and wife, Miss Alice Gillispie, Miss Campbell, S. P. Baird and wife, of Carlisle; Jos. A. Miller and wife, Rev. W. H. Britt, C. W. Corrington and wife, Chas. Johnson and wife, Dr. C. C. Fisher, Mrs. G. W. Bryan, Misses Nora Wadell, Jennie and Bessie Purnell, Lida Clarke, Lula Grimes, Ida Dodson, Mrs. Sam'l Dodson, Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Best and others, of Millersburg.

There will be prayer meeting at the new church at seven o'clock to-morrow night—the first regular service in the church.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

Tax receipts for 1897 are now ready and have been for some time. Please call and settle at once and save penalty.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY THE NEWS MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And Elsewhere.

—Mrs. John Roseberry is visiting relatives in Cincinnati.

—Mr. J. W. Bain, of Lexington, was a visitor in the city Saturday.

—Miss Bruce Collins left Saturday for a visit to friends in Mt. Sterling.

—Mrs. Newt Clark, who has been ill for three weeks, is able to be out again.

—Mr. Ernest Frazier and wife were guests of relatives in Lexington Sunday.

—Little Margaret Waller is recovering from a dangerous illness of typhoid fever.

—Mr. Brutus Grinnan, of Carlisle, is the guest of his parents on Henderson Street.

—Miss Laura Trundle has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Brock, in St. Louis.

—Mrs. Martha Grinnan, of Cynthiana, is visiting the family of her son, Mr. L. Grinnan.

—Mr. P. J. Millet, the coal mine owner, of Norton, Va., was in the city Saturday.

—Mrs. Thos. Beeding attending the Lydick-Gooding wedding at Mayslick, last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Craig Shipp, of Lexington, arrived Saturday for a short visit in Paris.

—Miss Jennie and Bessie Purnell, of Millersburg, are guests of Miss Jennie Kate Purnell.

—Mr. Thomas Wright, of Rush county, Ind., is visiting his nephew, Mr. Horace Collins.

—Miss Mary Varden was the guest of of Lexington friends from Saturday until yesterday.

—Mrs. Wm. Hinton has returned to Covington after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. James Hinton, near Paris.

—Mrs. Bedell Parker (nee Miss Sannie Gaines) of New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Gaines, in Georgetown.

—C. Alexander, Jr., attended the Halloween german given in the Merrick Lodge building Thursday night by the Lexington German Club.

—Messrs. Robt. Rosselle and Joe Strader and Misses Hattie Alexander and Tommie Hornsey, of Lexington, visited friends in the city Sunday.

—Mr. Ernest Ritchey, a druggist of New Paris, O., is here on a visit to friends. His wife, who was Miss Bessie Breeden, has been here for a fortnight.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Atwill, who were married at Kansas City on Oct. 27, are guests at Mr. Hart Talbott's. Mrs. Atwill was Miss Ellen Hart Talbott, daughter of Mr. Dudley Talbott.

—Little Elizabeth Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen L. Davis, continues quite ill of fever. Mr. and Mrs. Ulie Howard came up Saturday from Covington to see her, and will remain for several days.

—Louisville society is agog over the splendid fancy dress ball to be given tonight at the Galt House by Mrs. S. Thruston Ballard in honor of Misses Abbie Ballard and Zuda and Lilla Harris. Five hundred invitations have been issued and Mrs. Ballard has asked seventeen married friends to lead seventeen quadrilles which will be the opening dance of the ball. Miss Emily May Wheat, representing "Carmen," will dance in the set led by Mrs. Austin Ballard as "Mme. Le Pompadour." Among the noted guests who will attend will be Prince and Princess Bonaccio and Count and Countess di Brazzia.

BIRTHS.

The Advent Of Our Future Men And Women.

At Little Rock Friday to the wife of L. A. Soper, a daughter.

Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, an actress, gave birth to a son on a train Saturday at Canton, O.

New L. & N. Time Card.

A NEW new time card took effect on the L. & N. Sunday night. The morning train from Maysville now arrives at 7:42 and leaves for Lexington at 7:50 instead of 7:55. The morning train from Richmond arrives at 7:40 and departs at 7:50 for Maysville. There is no change in the arrival or departure of the 7:45 train from Lexington to Cincinnati. The afternoon train from Lexington arrives at 3:34 and departs at 3:40—six minutes earlier than formerly. The evening train from Lexington arrives at 6:27 and departs at 6:35 for Maysville. There is no change in the other trains.

THE Northwestern Mutual life has paid to representatives of its policy-holders and to its policy-holders, and is now holding for them, \$180,000,000, an excess over premium receipts of over \$30,000,000. (tf)

Fiscal Court Meeting.

THE Fiscal Court met yesterday and awarded a contract for a \$1,200 bridge to be placed over Stoner on the Pretty-run pike, near the Clark county line. The stone work was given to Mr. Moran, of Mason.

The court discussed the question of reducing the salary of the School Superintendent and Count, Attorney, but made no change. The salary of each officer is \$800 per year. The salary of the County Infirmary keeper has been reduced from \$800 to \$600.

The court will meet again Saturday to appoint physicians to care for the pauper practice in the various precincts.

Railroad Company Incorporated.

THE Ohio River, Cynthiana and Tidewater Railroad Company filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State Saturday, with a capital of \$25,000. The road is to run from the Ohio river at Ghent, Kentucky, through the counties of Carroll, Gallatin, Grant, Owen, Scott, Harrison, Nicholas, Bourbon, Montgomery, Powell and Estill, terminating at Irvine, Estill county, having run a distance of 100 miles. The headquarters of the road are to be situated at Cynthiana. Following are the chief incorporators: Albert E. Boone, H. Earnshaw, Alpheus Conner, Thos. B. Smith, William H. Northcott, Benjamin T. Riggs, W. B. Sammons, Wm. S. Cason, John W. Metcalf.

OBITUARY.

Respectfully Dedicated To The Memory Of The Dead.

F. A. Wade, aged seventy-five, died a few days ago at the County Infirmary. He is survived by a wife—about seventy years old—who is for the sixth time left a widow, and by a grown son who lives in Chicago. The remains will be taken to Chicago for interment.

Miss Julia Connell, aged about twenty, a lovely young lady who was just budding into womanhood and into a life of happy usefulness, died of typhoid fever yesterday morning at two o'clock at the home of her father, Mr. Nicholas Connell. The gentle manners and beautiful character of the deceased won for her a legion of friends who are grieved at her passing away. The funeral services will be held at half-past seven o'clock to-morrow morning at the Catholic church by Rev. Edward Burke. The following young men will be pall-bearers: Messrs. Randolph Davis, Llewellyn Spears, Edward Gorey, John Gaper, Jr., Charles James, Jos. Grosche.

Ben F. Bedford, Sr., aged sixty-three, a respected citizen of Bourbon, died Friday night at his home in East Paris. The deceased was a son of the late Benj. C. Bedford, and was formerly a farmer and breeder of Short-horn cattle. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Evans, and four children—Mrs. Nathan Bayles, Jr., Silas Bedford, Edwin Bedford, and B. F. Bedford, Jr. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the residence by Rev. F. W. Eberhardt, and the remains were interred in the Paris cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. H. C. Hutchcraft, John C. Clay, Dan Turner, John LaRue, E. K. Thomas, John B. Kennedy.

James K. Ford, a member of the firm of Ford & Co., owner of the Hotel Fordham, President of the Paris Gas Co. and one of the influential citizens of Bourbon county, died at his home on Duncan avenue at four o'clock yesterday morning from a stroke of paralysis which he suffered Friday evening. The deceased, who was fifty-five years old Saturday, was a progressive citizen, and a faithful church member—having been a deacon in which he was held by his fellow men. The deceased is survived by his wife, nee Miss Winnie Duncan, who he married thirty-five years ago. The funeral services will be held at his late residence to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock by Elder J. S. Sweeney. The officers of the Christian Church will act as pall-bearers. The remains will be interred at the Paris cemetery.

Notice of New Meat Market.

PARIS, KY., OCT. 30, 1897.

Garrett Kenney and Tice Ashurst have formed a partnership and will, on Saturday, October 30, 1897, open a meat market in the store-room adjoining Lavin & Connell's, on Main Street, between Seventh and Eighth streets. They will do business under the firm name of Kenney & Ashurst.

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